

**FEE TRANSMITTAL
for FY 2001
(Small Entity)**

Complete if Known

Application Number	09/258,217
Filing Date	26 February 1999
First Named Inventor	Mark T. KEATING
Examiner Name	S. CHEN
Group Art Unit	1632
Total Amount of Payment	(\$200.00)
Attorney Docket Number	2323-127

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1. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the required fees and credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 02-2135 in the name of Rothwell, Figg, Ernst & Manbeck
- ☒ Charge any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17
- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.
2. ☐ Payment Enclosed:
☐ Check
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FEE CALCULATION

1. FILING FEE

Fee Code	Fee \$	Fee Description	Fee Paid
201	370	Utility filing fee	
206	165	Design Filing Fee	
207	255	Plant Filing Fee	
208	370	Reissue Filing Fee	
214	80	Provisional Filing Fee	

SUBTOTAL \$

2. CLAIMS

	Extra Claims	Fee	Fee Paid
Total Claims	[] - 20** = [] x	\$ 9 =	[]
Independent Claims	[] - 3** = [] x	42 =	[]
Multiple Dependent Claims	+	140 =	[]

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

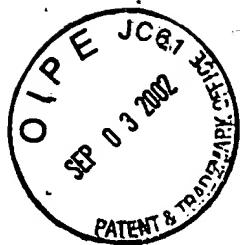
Fee Code	Fee Paid	Fee Description	Fee Paid
205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
112	920	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
216	200	Extension for reply within second month	200
217	460	Extension for reply within third month	
218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
228	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
219	160	Notice of Appeal	
220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
221	150	Request for Oral Hearing	
138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
240	55	Petition to revive -unavoidable	
241	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
243	230	Design issue fee	
244	310	Plant issue fee	
122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	
581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
246	370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR .129(a))	
249	370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
195	300	Publication fee for early, voluntary, or normal publication	
196	300	Publication fee for republication	
089	200	Filing an application for patent term adjustment	
090	400	Request for reinstatement of term reduced	
Other fee (specify)			

* Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL
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<i>Title of the Invention:</i> MICE WHICH ARE +/- OR -/- FOR THE ELASTIN GENE AS MODELS FOR VASCULAR DISEASE		

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1-1603**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 3 April 2002, please enter the amendments contained on the following pages, which are summarized below.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 6.

Please amend claims 1, 2, 5, 9 and 10 as shown on the following pages.

Marked-up copies of the original text of the amended claims are attached to this amendment. Material inserted is indicated by redlining (redlining) and material deleted is indicated by strikethrough (strikethrough).